

## Junior Officers Advisory Council Meeting Skedded

A Junior Officers Advisory Council Conference will be held at 820th Air Division Headquarters from 3 to 5 November. This is the first such council to be held in 8th Air Force.

Four Junior Officers are selected from each 820th base. A conferee from each base will be given a problem to research and present to General Hoisington at the conference.

Topics to be discussed at the first council meeting will be Recognition of the Junior Officer, Reception of the Junior Officer by the base and his organization, Orientation and familiarization of the Junior Officer and Career monitoring and guidance of the Junior Officer.

Those selected to represent Dow at the conference are Captain Harold Wood, 341st ARS, Lt. John Morgan, 71st ARS, Lt. Francis Fox, Supply and Lt. Wilbur Wright, Installations Sq. Wing Commander Colonel George W. R. Zethren will accompany the Dow group to Plattsburgh AFB and will be present at the briefing to be presented to General Hoisington by the conferees.

A bowling tournament for the council members will be held on the evening of the 4th of November with a temporary trophy being awarded to the winner until the next conference. A prize for the low scorers will also be awarded.

On November 1st the electricity on base will be turned off from 2 am until 10 am.



**NEW FACILITY**—Deputy Wing Commander Colonel Lawson C. Horner, Jr., cuts the ribbon to indicate that Dow's new half million dollar gymnasium is officially open. Standing by are (far left) Major Phillip N. Blanchard, assistant director for Services, Miss Claire Rangow, Service Club Director (second from right) and Mr. Manuel Ferris, Recreation Director (far right). Standing in the background are several Dow airmen waiting to enter the new gym on opening day.

## Dow Gymnasium Officially Open

Dow's new gymnasium was officially opened on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock in official ribbon cutting ceremonies conducted by Deputy Wing Commander, Colonel Lawson C. Horner, Jr., Major Phillip Blanchard, Assistant Director of Services and Mr. Manuel Ferris, Recreation Director.

### 341st Form Five Section Is Tops

Last week inspectors from the 820th Air Division made a facilities inspection of the Squadron and announced that the 341st Form 5 section received an especially high rating. Congratulations go to Lt. Richard Tokarz and Alc Richard Drumbheller for an outstanding job.

Captain Richard S. Anderson signed into the Squadron on October 26th, arriving from KC-97 Crew Training at Randolph AFB, Texas. The Squadron extends a most cordial welcome to you, Captain Anderson, and we hope your tour with us will be most pleasant and rewarding.

Captain Joseph Moran and his crew were scheduled to fly their mission as part of the Bombing and Air Refueling Competition held in Florida on the evening of October 27th. At the time of this writing, the results were not known; however, our best wishes are riding with them.

The Education Officer is running an educational survey to determine the needs of personnel in the Squadron in regard to each individual's education program. Many have not filled in the survey form as yet, and it is requested that this be accomplished as soon as possible. The forms can be obtained at the First Sergeant's desk.

Basketball practice sessions have begun in earnest and Lt. Bob Weiss reports that the Squadron will have a strong team in the running this coming season.

The new gymnasium has been under construction for the past year and a half and cost nearly one half million dollars.

One of the finest in the Air Force, it is equipped with roll-away bleachers, men's and women's locker rooms, a training room and a steam room. Much of the new equipment is already installed while delivery of the remainder is expected shortly. The building is lit with fluorescent lights throughout.

According to Mr. Ferris, the old gym will continue to be operated for indoor tennis, badminton, volleyball, handball and indoor archery. PFR will continue to be conducted at the old gym, thereby freeing the new facility for other daytime activities. Many of this year's basketball games will also be held at the old gym.

It is hoped that a women's program can be developed in the near future. Also, a roller skating program is planned for the old gym.

NCOIC of the new gymnasium is SSgt. William C. Wright, Athletic Supervisor.

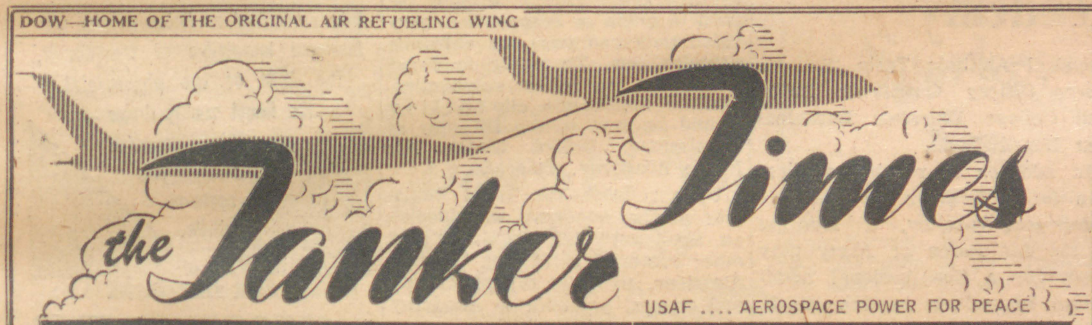
## Officer Promotions

(AFNS)—Promotion, an always potent topic of conversation among military men everywhere, has taken on new meaning among USAF officers in recent months due chiefly to important changes pending in the system of promoting to major and lieutenant colonel.

Enthusiasm began to blossom with Congressional approval of Air Force plans to boost major slots by 3,000 over the 1954 Grade Limitations Act allowances. According to preliminary plans, criteria for promotion to major would be changed to bring Reserve promotions more nearly in line with current advancements among officers. As it now stands, Regular Air Force captains with 14 years of Promotion List Service are assured an 80 per cent opportunity for promotion.

In some cases enthusiasm turned to dismay when it was learned the criteria changes could eliminate the heretofore vital factor of time in grade. Except for a small percentage of below the line promotions, probably among captains with 10 or more years of active commissioned time, all such promotions would be limited to those having 13 years of active time.

Plans being formulated are predicated on allowing the 6,300 Reserve captains who will complete 13 years of active federal commissioned service by the end of Fiscal Year 1961 the same chance for advancement already guaranteed by law to the 1,100 Regulars in the same time of service zone. Before these new (Continued on Page 10)



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REENLIST

## BNARC Ended—Crews Here Saturday—Reception Set

The 1959 BNARC Competition at McCoy AFB, Florida has just ended and the winners in this year's contest have been announced. The Fairchild trophy will be presented today by General Thomas S. Power, CINSAC.

Winners in this year's BNARC are, 307th Bomb Wing, Lincoln AFB with a grand total of 772 overall points. Colonel Read, Commander of the 307th, will accept the Fairchild trophy on behalf of the crews who won the award. This marks the fourth consecutive year a Second Air Force unit captured the top spot in the annual BNARC.

Closely following the 307th in the race for the trophy were the 100th Bomb Wing at Pease AFB with 761 points; the 22d Bomb Wing of March AFB, and the 6th

Bomb Wing of Walker AFB, 721 points; and the 43d Bomb Wing of Davis-Monthan AFB with 719.5 points.

First winners of the Air Refueling trophy, newcomer to the competition were the 55th ARS, Forbes AFB with 373 points, 320th ARS, March AFB, 350 points; 40th ARS, Shilling AFB and 321st ARS Lockbourne AFB 341 points (Continued on Page 8)

## Base Fire Dept. Is Lauded By Brewer Manager

In a recent letter to Lt. Col. William A. Crawford, Base Commander, from Mr. Donald J. Waring, Brewer City Manager, the Base Fire Department of the 4060th Installations Squadron received a special letter of gratitude for their invaluable assistance at the Brewer Campbell fire.

The letter read as follows: Dear Col. Crawford:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Dow Fire Department and Major J. R. Sipple for their invaluable assistance at our recent Campbell fire. The arrival of your tank wagon with 1,000 gallons of water made possible the saving of many thousands of dollars in building and farm equipment.

Please accept our gratitude for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Donald J. Waring,

City Manager, Brewer

Col. Crawford and Major J. R. Sipple further expressed their thanks to all personnel involved in assisting the Brewer Fire Department in extinguishing and thus preventing what might have been a major catastrophe.

## Reenlistment Honor Roll

The lengthy Dow Reenlistment Honor Roll for Dow AFB gained three new members this week, they are:

TSgt. Lucius Nichols Jr., an Aircraft Maintenance Technician. He comes from Lempster, New Hampshire and is a veteran of more than 15 years service. He reenlisted for a four year period.

SSgt. Alejandro Gonzalez, a Comm Center Supervisor with the 75th FIS. SSgt. Gonzalez calls Laredo, Texas, home and has been in the Air Force for the past nine years. He has reenlisted for another six year term.

A2c Daniel F. Palermo, with the 4060th Supply Squadron who hails from New Haven, Conn. Airman Palermo has just started his second hitch.



**HONORED**—Last Friday afternoon, at ceremonies held in the Service Club, Major John M. Crowley, 341st ARS, was awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal. The citation accompanying the award states that Major Crowley distinguished himself by meritorious service while assigned duty as Administrative Assistant for the USAF Mission to Haiti, Port-au-Prince, Haiti. By untiring effort, he contributed immeasurably to the accomplishment of Mission operations and also greatly assisted in furthering our government's friendly relationship with Haiti.

## "24 Hours" Replaces 91 Day Rule In New Re-Up Change

(AFNS) The Air Force has moved to cut out its two-to ninety-day reenlistment program and six-year enlistment term beginning Nov. 1.

The decision was announced by Hq USAF this week in a message to all major commands. Officials say the move will provide greater stability by cutting down on PCS changes, as well as give the Air Force more management control over airmen assignments.

Under the new system, an airman will have to decide within 24 hours whether or not to reenlist. If he reups for his own position, he'll stay with his outfit unless he wants to move into a vacancy in another organization on the base.

Notice the term "on the base." It means the move cannot involve a PCS. Also, the reassignment will have to have the blessings (Continued on Page 9)



**VISIT'S DOW**—Screen star Joan Crawford arrived in Bangor last week to participate in the opening of a beverage plant in Brewer. Miss Crawford is a director of the beverage company and is known in the company as 'the hostess with the mostess.'



## Match This

BUNKER HILL AFB, Ind. (SAC PS) — A 38-year-old KC-97 pilot who was once refused duty in the military service because he was underweight has set the physical fitness record for this base. He is Capt. Elmer E. Robinson, a six-foot 190-pounder.

In turning the trick he sprinted the 250-yard indoor shuttle run — which has nine turns — in 45 seconds, did 114 sit-ups and 20 pull-ups.

The local record holder is Lt. David F. Leas, 71st ARS who recently turned in a score of 41 seconds for the shuttle run, 116 sit ups and 14 chin ups for a score of 92. Based on Capt. Robinson's age his score would have been 89, which means that Dow's ahead of Bunker Hill.



## Afghanistan Sits On Great Divide Of Southern Asia

Afghanistan is located on the Great Divide between central and southern Asia. It is mostly a mountainous country but with some fertile plains. Population is 12,000,000 and area 250,000 square miles, about the size of Texas. Capital is Kabul. Agriculture is principal occupation.

The country is self-sufficient in food; chief exports are wool, skins, fruits, and nuts. Copper, lead, iron, silver and asbestos are mined. There are no railroads; transport is by truck, camel or pony. Modern roads and irrigation systems are being built. Trade with India flows through Khyber Pass.

Government is a constitutional monarchy with Senate and National Council. Languages are Persian, Pashto, Uzbek and Hazarar. Instruction is free in educational and technical institutions. Islam is the predominant religion. Became a member of the UN in 1946.

(First of a series.)

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**THE BIG PAYOFF**—It was a well guarded secret and a BIG surprise for Miss Joan Martin when she received a sustained superior performance cash award of \$150 from Lt. Col. A. M. Kurland, Commander, 860th Medical Group. Working in close harmony, to keep the award a surprise, Captain Belle Dorsey escorted Miss Martin to the Commander's office for the presentation.

## Deadline Near For 1960 Applicants To Academy

(AFNS) Dow Officers and Airmen who are interested in applying for the 1960 class of the AF Academy must hurry to get in on special quotas allotted to the Air Force and the Army. Qualified enlisted men and officers who are interested in applying should take action as soon as possible. No applications will be accepted after Jan. 31, 1960.

In the class entering next July, 22 vacancies have been reserved for members of the Regular components and 23 vacancies for Reserve component members including those in the National Guard.

An applicant for this class must be unmarried; must be at least 17 and not yet 22 by July 1, 1960; and must have completed 12 months of active service by that date. His service need not have been continuous, but he must be in active status when appointed to the Academy.

To apply, Dowmen must complete DD Form 786 in triplicate and submit it to his organization commander. The form should be obtained through normal publications supply channels at the military organization where the individual is assigned. Information to include in the application is contained in a joint Air Force-Army regulation (AFR 53-10, AR 350-58), "Appointment to the United States Air Force Academy."

Each military applicant must take the Air Force Cadet Screening Test and a preliminary medical examination to determine his eligibility to become a candidate. The applicant's organization commander will arrange for these examinations and notify him of the time and place to report.

All eligible candidates compete for the available vacancies on the basis of aptitude and achievement tests, which include the

Physical Aptitude Tests, the Air Force Officer Qualifying Tests, and College Entrance Examination Board Tests.

In addition to making application for a Regular or Reserve component vacancy, a member of the Air Force or Army may apply for a Congressional nomination by writing to the U. S. Representative from his congressional district or to a U. S. Senator from his home state. His chances of selection might be increased if he is entered as a Congressional candidate also.

Other vacancies have been established on a competitive basis

## Col. Kurland Speaks To CDS Wives

On Wednesday, Oct. 21, Col. Kurland and the wives of the Combat Defense Squadron met in T-206 for a discussion of the medical facilities offered the dependents at Dow AFB. The object of this meeting was to have the wives voice their complaints over the hospital with the "head man."

It had been anticipated that there would be a substantial amount of "gripping" but as it turned out this was not the case at all. Many of the wives had questions but only a few cited major faults. These were noted by Dr. Kurland and action to remedy these situations was assured.

Following the meeting a social hour was held at which time coffee and cake was served. From the comments overheard, the gathering was a success and a benefit to all. The following wives were present: Mrs. Diana Swartz, Mrs. Beverly Ayers, Mrs. Judy Frazer, Mrs. Joan Wilson, Mrs. Mary Carberry, Mrs. Irene Muse, Mrs. Doris Henderson, Mrs. Norma Gaffey, Mrs. Carol Niedarowski, and Mrs. Nita Henderson.

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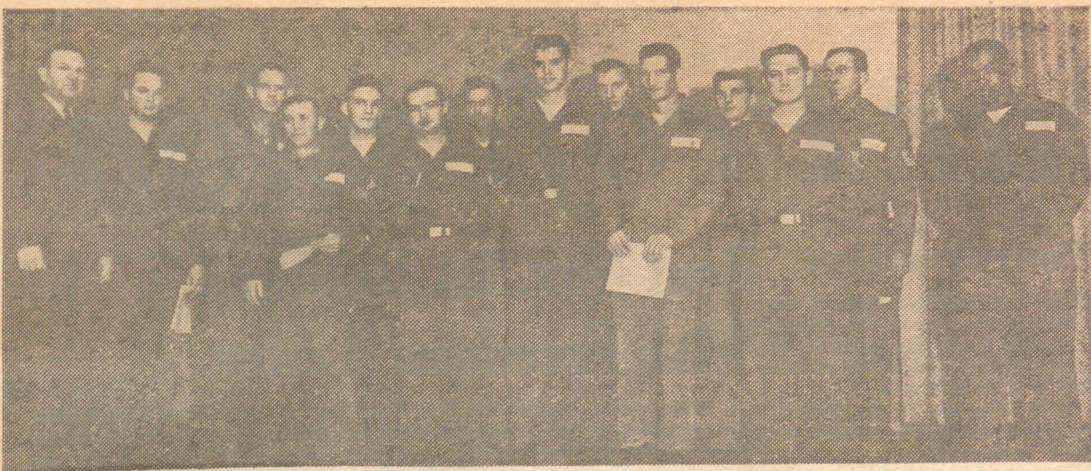
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**GETTING AHEAD**—Pictured above are a few of the Field Maintenance personnel who have successfully completed their High School GED tests. With them at far left is Lt. Col. James Jorden, Jr., Squadron Commander. A total of 30 FMS men have passed the tests with results pending on another 16 men.

## Wives To Take Over 341st

Major Alexander, 341st Squadron Commander, has announced that on Friday, the 13th of November, the wives of the 341st personnel will step into the shoes of their Air Force husbands. They will be shown the various duties that their husbands perform in the Squadron and so far as possible will actually perform the work themselves.

This is another step by the 341st to keep the family informed as to the work we are doing and how each family can assist in that work by understanding the particular part the head of the house plays in the overall mission.

Not only the ground duties will be explained to them, as they will also be given a tour of the flight simulator to demonstrate the aircraft their husbands are flying. This will include preparation for a flight up to engine starting. It is hoped that the wives will enjoy their day and that they will return home with a better understanding of the important work they are supporting by virtue of the fact that they are the most important people in our lives.

## Housing Critical At Brize Norton

RAF BRIZE NORTON, England (SAC PS)—Extreme difficulties in housing new officer and airmen personnel accompanied by dependents are being experienced at this overseas SAC station.

On-base housing has been filled and current waiting lists will fill all future government housing available for several months to come.

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## 341st Holds Open House

Last Friday at 1300, the 341st held an open house in the Squadron Briefing Room. This get-together was planned primarily for the wives of Squadron personnel to give them a clearer understanding of the mission of the Squadron and, particularly how their husbands are a part of that mission. Major Alexander, 341st Squadron Commander, explained Squadron policies and how each family is related to the mission by virtue of having the head of the family in the Squadron.

To round out the informative meeting, Col. (Ret) Roscoe Wriston, an expert on service financial affairs, discussed survivors and retirement benefits for USAF personnel. Coffee and donuts were served as part of the social hour.

## Dow SJA Now Regular AF

Captain Leslie A. Williams, Dow's Staff Judge Advocate, recently received word that he has been accepted as a regular Air Force Officer.

He first made application for regular AF in 1957 and was notified in the spring of 1958 that he had been selected provided he met physical requirements. Captain Williams was unable at that time to pass the eye examination and requested a waiver. The waiver was recently granted and on Wednesday of this week, Captain Williams signed the oath of office and became regular AF.

Captain Williams served during World War II as an enlisted man from 1943 to 1946. After discharge he attended college and then law school and was admitted to the bar. He practiced law in New Mexico for a year and then decided to come back to the AF.

He is married, and he and his wife Frances and four children live at Dow's Capehart.

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## Sparkey Sez

BY STAN CLOSSON

Welcome this week to SSgt. Chamberlain, A-1C Truitt and A-3C LaFrance to the organization. As short as we are in 43 field plugs—we need "em."

Happy Birthday this week goes to MSgt. Marrs, A-2C Ganes, A-2C Hawkins, A-2C Chatfield and A-3C Gaffney. Many more—fellow plugs.

Plugs—this week our request went out to USAF for approval of the organizational emblem. We should get the approval in a few weeks and then it is officially ours. More about this later.

Congratulations due to Captain Shaw, TSgt. LaChance, TSgt. Payne and A-2C Garey for being selected to accompany our aircraft to Florida for the bombing competition. If Dow wins out over Malmstrom — remember — they too will have a chance at the antelope supper we hear about, I presume. Congratulations due to A-1C Frost, A-1C Harris, A-2C Cummins, A-2C Lavdar, A-3C Gaffney and A-3C Cullen who have completed their Forms Documentation Course at Plattsburg. Special mention for Airman Cummins for receiving an outstanding score.

Letter of appreciation this week to SSgt. Olsen, Crew Chief of Aircraft 369 for its outstanding condition when inspected by the Quality Inspection. Keep up the good work.

Letter of Appreciation this week to MSgt. Lindenmuth for the outstanding job in the Inspection Section.

Letter of appreciation this week to TSgt. Mliczek for his outstanding job as Crew Chief.

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## 30 FMS Men Successfully Pass On High School GED

During the past several months, 30 personnel of the 4060th Field Maintenance Squadron have successfully passed the High School Level General Education Development Test. This is part of a larger program that Field Maintenance Squadron has instituted to insure that every assigned individual possess the equivalent of a High School Education.

Many of the personnel were tested without the benefit of any preparation courses in English or Math through USAFI, on base Group Study or Correspondence Courses. Although most of the non-high school grads are enrolled in such courses in preparation to take the GED Tests, it was found that many non-high school grads already possess sufficient knowledge to make a satisfactory score without further preparation. This is due to the fact that some individuals had completed as much as 10-11 years of school.

Others were acn-coms with many years of service and had thus accumulated extensive knowledge of the subjects involved through their work service schools and the normal every day living experiences. A total of 53 individuals in Field Maintenance Squadron have taken to GED since 1 January 1959.

In addition to the 30 individuals that have passed, test results are pending on 16 individuals and 7 have failed to qualify. They will

be enrolled in preparatory classes and retested at a later date. The number of non-high school graduates in Field Maintenance Squadron has dwindled from 125 in 1958 to 57 in 1959, a decrease of more than 50 per cent. These results are attributed to the efforts of Lt. Colonel James E. Jordan, Jr., Commander, 4060th Field Maintenance Squadron. Lt. James R. Holland, Squadron Education Officer, and Technical Sergeant Forrest William, Squadron Education NCO.

Credit must be given to Mr. Donald Alward, Base Education Officer, for his splendid cooperation and assistance in the Field Maintenance Education Program.

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## Give Your "Fair Share"

By COL. WILLIAM A. CRAWFORD  
Base Commander

Only a few days remain in this year's United Fund Drive for Dow AFB. I wish to take this final opportunity to urge all Dow personnel to actively support this campaign.

The 32 agencies represented in the United Fund do a big job in helping people less fortunate than we are. Their work is work that must be done and only we can make it possible. Let's not forget that we at Dow are direct beneficiaries of United Fund help. The American Red Cross and the USO are just two of the agencies which help solve the problems of the serviceman. Let's get behind them.

Over the next few months, a number of problems may arise which will require cooperation between the wing and community leaders. I have in mind such problems as jet noises, sonic booms, air traffic control and all other problems associated with our normal operation.

If the community wants to cooperate with us, these problems will be easily solved and reconciled.

An excellent way for us to show our good faith, our own community spirit, is for us to hit the 100% mark in our United Fund effort. Bangor's leaders spend a great deal of time and money on this once-a-year project. It is very important to them. They will not forget our generosity toward their most important community project.

Our "Fair Share" in the campaign is one day's pay. If you can possibly see your way clear to give this much or more, then please do so. The campaign is nearing its conclusion. Let's make a success of it.



Col. Crawford

## The Common Cold

BY CAPT. EDWARD BUONOCORE  
Chief, Medicine  
860 USAF Hospital

With the coming of frost, the season for common colds also is upon us. With great dismay, mothers and the physicians at your Air Force Hospital have noted an increase in the number of red faces, running noses, and frog-like voices. Probably there is no more common medical problem during the winter season than the problem of the common cold. Volumes of literature are written and millions of dollars are spent annually in radio and TV advertisements about the many remedies for the cold. Commercial are getting so numerous that they are becoming comical. This article is an attempt to give you some general information about the common cold.



Dr. Buonocore

Common colds are produced by a living organism which defies detection by the conventional laboratory methods, mainly because of its extremely small size. This organism, as you know, is called a virus. They are around us all the time and have numerous variations in their forms. There are probably a million of more different forms of viruses, and this is the crux of the problem. Each of the numerous forms act differently but produce similar symptoms.

At the present state of knowledge, there is no definite treatment to eradicate this organism once it becomes a living contaminant of our throats and noses. Fortunately, the havoc that it produces in these areas is a temporary inflammation. Usually within 5 days the swelling goes through a cycle and disappears leaving an entirely normal tissue architecture that existed prior to the infection.

To solve the cold problem two methods of attack may be considered, curative and prophylactic. As we already stated, there is no cure once a cold takes hold. All we can do is to make the patient feel comfortable while the inflammatory process in the respiratory tissue goes through its usual cycle. The medications used are only too well known to the patient. Aspirin and antihistamine have a definite effect to help decrease inflammation and also make us feel better while the inflammatory process exists.

The second problem of trying to prevent the common cold at present intrigues medical scientists. Numerous cold vaccines have been developed, but again the problem is that a vaccine is usually a specific agent that acts against only one type of organism. In the case of the common cold, as we have mentioned, there are a million or more different types of organisms which would require an equal number of vaccines.

There are certain viral infections which can be predicted and for which we have a vaccine. We know that polio virus has only 3 forms. They have been given interesting names corresponding to females in German opera. The classic problem of influenza that we saw in 1918 and 1957 which produced such world pandemic has been well known to be in two forms, type A and type B. In 1957 a new strain arose which was also isolated and its properties to a certain extent determined. These above diseases can be combated with vaccines because one of their properties called antigenicity can be predicted. Compare this problem with the common cold virus which has its numerous different cousins attacking us.

We shouldn't despair because there is an extensive medical research being carried on to determine the properties of the virus bug and what can be done to lick him. Thus far, whole classes of viruses have been isolated and we are learning much about their living habits. Several of these virus groups are known as the adenovirus group, the coxsackie virus, and another interesting family called the ECHO virus (Enteric Cytopathogenic Human Orphan). Many military institutions have developed vaccines for some of these above viruses and have given them to recruits with tremendous effect. When they were used in civilian populations, they were not as effective because of the numerous unanticipated types of viruses.

Physicians at your Air Force Hospital are well acquainted with all of the present information and research that is going on concerning the common cold and the virus which produces it. When he administers medication of a non-specific nature such as aspirin or antihistamines, he does it with all humility and realization that medical science has not conquered this bug yet.

When and if you get a cold, remember that it is a mild respiratory inflammation that will in time gradually disappear and that the medication your doctor gives you will help relieve some of the symptoms that accompany your malady.

## Your Question

(If you are overseas now, or expect to go overseas in the future, you should know the answer to questions of the kind asked in this week's Q & A column.)

Q. Why does the U. S. Government spend so much money for military purposes?

A. The answer to that is plain. Faced by continuing threats to peace and free world security, we must have a military establishment ready and able to defend ourselves and deter aggression.

Large armed forces mean, of course, large outlays of money and put a heavy burden on our national resources and the taxpayer. Even so, we Americans spend slightly less than nine percent (8.9) of our national income on armaments, while the U.S.S.R. spends fifteen percent of its income on its vast military system.

No one would be more pleased than the American people to spend less money on the military. When the danger to our own and the free world's security recedes, we shall gladly shift such spending to more constructive purposes—new schools, new roads, better housing, better health and other fundamentals of the nation's welfare.

In addition, the United States Government continues to stand by a pledge made five years ago. When sufficient progress has been made in internationally supervised disarmament, it will ask the American people to join with other countries in devoting a portion of the savings achieved by such disarmament to an international fund, within the framework of the United Nations, for the economic development of underdeveloped countries. (AFNS)

## US Air Force Space Program Policy Statement

Department of the Air Force  
Office of the Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Air Force Responsibilities to Other Elements of the DOD for Space Systems  
TO: All Personnel

1. The Secretary of Defense has assigned to the Department of the Air Force the responsibilities for developing and launching all military space boosters (except for projects specifically reserved by the Department of Defense) and for performing necessary systems integration for military space systems, including those systems for which payload development responsibility is assigned to other military departments.

2. This decision was made in the interest of efficiency and economy with due regard that several Department of Defense organizations will be involved since they will have needs which can be fulfilled most effectively by space vehicles or systems.

3. In view of the above, it is my desire that all Air Force personnel charged with fulfilling these responsibilities are aware of the obligations which the Air Force has to other Department of Defense agencies. The broad scope of this assignment with which the Air Force has been entrusted and the interests of the entire Department of Defense will be kept in mind constantly during the discharge of responsibilities in connection with these systems.

Curtis E. LeMay  
General, U. S. Air Force  
Vice Chief of Staff

## 19th Bomb Wing Celebrates 32d

HOMESTEAD AFB, Fla. (SAC PS)—The 19th Bombardment Wing, one of the oldest organizations in the Air Force, celebrated its 32d anniversary here Oct. 18. During its proud past, the 19th has engaged in all three wars fought in this century, has served on five continents, and has won three Presidential Unit Citations and nine Distinguished Unit Citations.

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## Beat Nov. 1st Deadline With Freedoms' Letter

This year's Letter Writing Program of Freedoms Foundation, for members of the Armed Forces on active duty, is in its home stretch—the deadline is Nov. 1st, and winning entries will be announced on Washington's Birthday next year.

So let this be one last urging to everyone in uniform—try your hand at a letter within the 500-word limit on the theme of "My Job: Protecting America's Freedoms." It is a great theme. There are no restrictions on the eloquence you can bring to it. But remember, fancy words run a poor second to simple sincerity. If you can frame in a clear, readable statement your most deeply felt ideas on your role as a serviceman dedicated to the free way of life, you may come in a winner.

And that could mean a great day in your life. Writers of the 10 top letters are invited to Valley Forge, Pa., for the awards ceremony. First place brings the \$1,000 award; second place, \$500. After these are 50 awards of \$100 each and an additional 50 of \$50. In addition, each winner receives the handsome George Washington Honor Medal.

There's still time to make that deadline. It's a fascinating challenge to your ability to think and to express yourself. Don't pass it up. (AFPS)

## TIMES Spot News In Brief

### OFFICER ASSIGNMENT CUT-OFF DATE CHANGED

The Air Force has shifted its command-of-assignment cut-off date for the major and lieutenant colonel temporary promotion program to Oct. 31 for both grades.

Hq USAF has advised major commands that selection folders with qualification records should be sent immediately to gaining commands.

Previous cut-off date for captains was June 30; for majors, Sept. 30.

Details on the revised temporary promotion program to major and light colonel grades are expected to be announced by Headquarters early next week.

### SEARS CATALOG JOSTLES AIR AGE TOMES IN ACADEMY LIBRARY

The Air Force Academy Library became the depository for a unique collection of Americana when a complete file of Sears, Roebuck and Co., catalogs, preserved on almost a mile of microfilm and spanning the years from 1892 to 1956, was presented to the Academy Oct. 13.

The AF Academy's collection of microfilm also includes the New York Times since 1851, annals and speeches of Congress since 1789, and various military and aviation journals covering an extended period of years.

### ZI MARKSMANSHIP CONFERENCE SET FOR NOV. 10

The Air Force will hold a small arms marksmanship training conference at Lackland AFB, Tex., Nov. 10-13, to review the past year's events and to plan for the future.

This year's conference will be open to ZI major command marksmanship training staff officers. For 1960, marksmanship officials hope to hold a world-wide conference.

A full report on the Lackland conference will be sent to all commands.



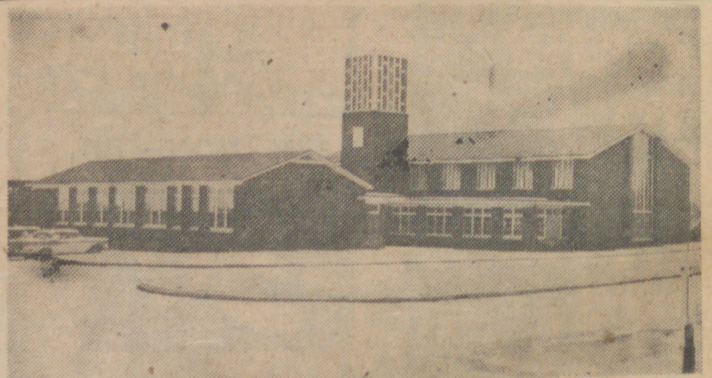
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Classes for all ages  
Sundays, 9:45 a. m.  
**Lutheran Communion**  
First Sunday of month, 8:30 a.m. in Education Wing.

### CATHOLIC

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Weekday Masses 6:45 a.m.  
Holy days of Obligation, 11:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.  
First Fridays, 9:00 a. m.  
Saturdays, 9 a. m.  
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## Air Force Announces Early Release Policy

HQ. SAC (SAC PS)—Air Force has announced an early release policy for the forthcoming holiday period. Essentially, Dow officers and airmen due for separation dur-

ing the period Dec. 18, 1959-Jan. 4, 1960, will be separated during the period Dec. 10-18, provided they request early separation and there are no military considerations to the contrary.

Exceptions are:

Those whose separation or retirement is directed individually by Headquarters USAF, or effected by Department of the Air Force special orders.

Reservists undergoing six months active duty for training under the Reserve Forces Act of 1955.

Aliens seeking to qualify for citizenship by completion of three years active military service.

Eligible personnel returning from overseas after Dec. 10 who will not have time to process before Dec. 18 may be reassigned to the base nearest their home and take a 10-day "delay enroute" before reporting for separation. They must, however, have the accrued time, want the leave, and not be discharged after their normal separation date.

Reenlistment eligibility for early-out Downmen will be essentially the same as for a normal expiration of term of service, based on criteria established in AFM 39-9. In most cases, the airmen will be ineligible to enlist or reenlist in the USAF for 91 days.

Air Force also outlined the after-discharge status of regular airmen who have, or don't have, UMT or military service obligations, and Reserve and Air National Guard airmen.

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## Ground Safety Report

IS YOUR HOME SAFE

Home Safety Check List No. 1. By the Base Safety Office. Cut this out and save it, there will be five more in this series.

### GENERAL

- |     |    |                                                      |
|-----|----|------------------------------------------------------|
| Yes | No |                                                      |
| —   | —  | Lock all doors and windows when going out?           |
| —   | —  | Have each member of family have keys?                |
| —   | —  | Have hiding place for keys?                          |
| —   | —  | Inform neighbors of unusual activities in your home? |
| —   | —  | Report unusual noises in neighborhood?               |
| —   | —  | Report street lights not working?                    |
| —   | —  | Know police and fire station phone numbers?          |

### GARAGE

- |     |    |                                                                        |
|-----|----|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Yes | No |                                                                        |
| —   | —  | Signal your turn into the drive?                                       |
| —   | —  | Have drive free of blind obstructions?                                 |
| —   | —  | Reduce speed to five m.p.h.?                                           |
| —   | —  | Have garage in order?                                                  |
| —   | —  | Have gasoline cans, oil containers, cleaning fluid cans safely stored? |
| —   | —  | Keep floor clean (free of grease)?                                     |
| —   | —  | Have place for each garden tool and every tool in place?               |
| —   | —  | Keep drive and garage lighted at night?                                |
| —   | —  | Lock car and leave gears in neutral?                                   |
| —   | —  | Back out of garage and look four ways?                                 |
| —   | —  | Light garage from inside house?                                        |

## SAC Bases Handbook Is Completed

HQ. SAC (SAC PS) — SAC Pamphlet 34-1 the Handbook of Strategic Air Command Bases, has been published and is now on its way to the field.

The pamphlet is a revised form of a similar manual that appeared in August 1957, and which was well received. It is published to acquaint personnel and their dependents with the living conditions at various SAC bases and on non-SAC bases with SAC units.

Information contained about each base includes items on its location, climate, housing, recrea-

tion facilities (on base and off), education facilities (on and off base), medical care and base facilities.

The two main users of the pamphlet will be the family services section and the base reenlistment office, where airmen can peruse the manual before enlisting for their "base of choice."

## Dow Officers Now Attending B-52 Training

Two Dow officers, Lt. Col. Julian Parker and Major William R. Jones recently departed for Castle AFB, to enroll in B-52 training. These are the first Dow officers to attend this school in preparation for the arrival of B-52's here next year.

They will complete ground school at Castle and proceed to Walker AFB, New Mexico, for the flying phase. Upon completion in March, they will return to Dow.

Col. Parker is deputy to the Wing Deputy Commander for Operations and Major Jones is OIC of the Wing Control room.

On November 1st the electricity on base will be turned off from 2 am until 10 am.



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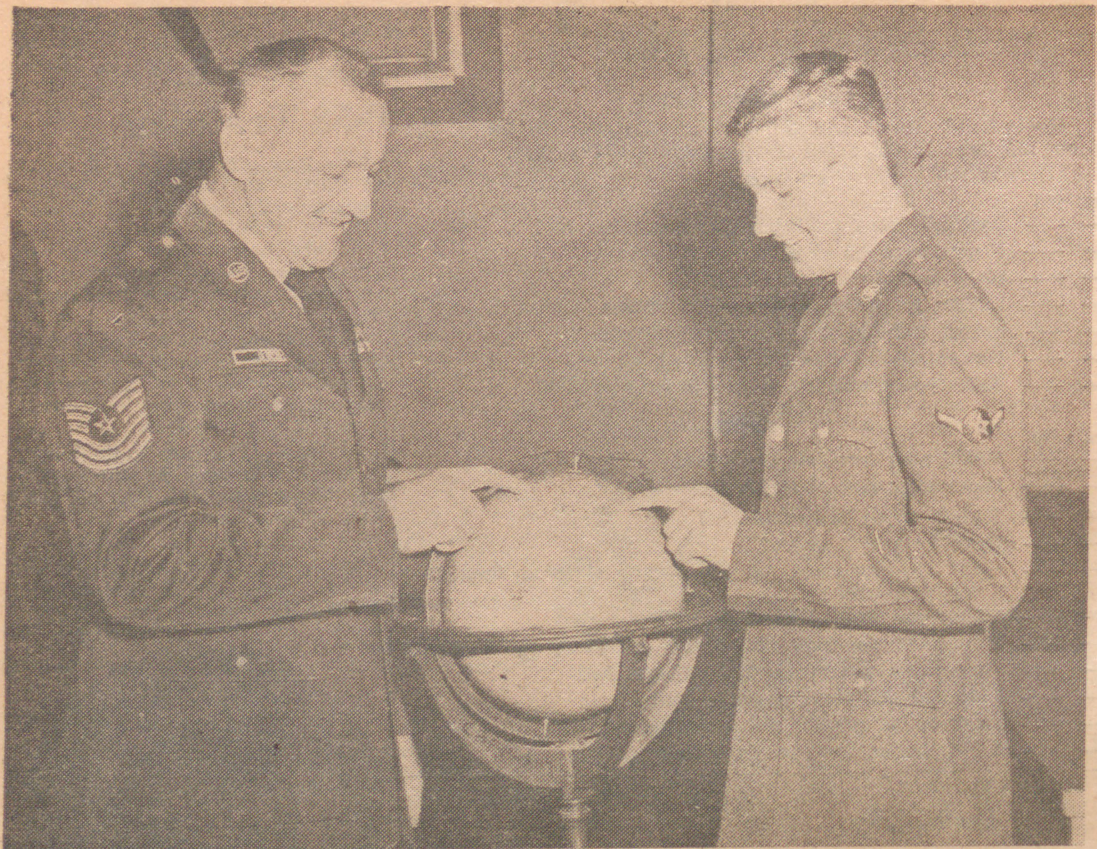
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**REUNION**—MSgt. Arnold Heldt, acting Family Services Officer for Dow was recently reunited with his 17-year-old son, Butch, after having not seen each other for more than 13 years. After basic training in Texas, Butch came all the way across country from Washington state to Maine by bus for this reunion with his dad. Butch will be stationed here at Dow. They are the only father-son Air Force family on this base.

## Same Name, Same Uniform, Together After 13 Years

MSgt. Arnold Heldt, Acting Family Services Officer for Dow was reunited last week with his son, Arnold Heldt, Jr., now an A/3C in the USAF. Sgt. Heldt hasn't seen his son for more than 13 years.

The last time the two had seen each other was in the summer of 1946 when Sgt. Heldt was confined in a Washington State hospital as a result of injuries suffered in a fall. Since that time, thousands of miles have separated them.

Their 13 year separation resulted from divorce and Sgt. Heldt's

frequent moves as a service man. Following his hospital confinement, Sgt. Heldt was transferred to Japan where he remained until 1951. Even after he returned to the US he was unable to locate his son.

Not until December 1958, when Sgt. Heldt received a letter from his son, did he know of his location. The letter came from Lackland AFB, Texas, where the younger Heldt was undergoing basic training.

"I got him on the phone and talked for 35 minutes," says Sgt. Heldt. "It cost over \$20.00 but it was worth it, believe me."

Then came the transfer orders for Arnold Jr., which brought him to Dow and face to face with his father. Both father and son are grateful for the help they obtained from the Air Force.

The Heldts are the only father-son combination of the total population of this base. It is doubtful if there is a happier combination anywhere in the United States right now.

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## New Dow Arrivals

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Son born to SSgt. and Mrs. John Bresnahan.

Daughter born to Capt. and Mrs. John F. McHugh.

Son born to SSgt. and Mrs. Allan F. Estabrook.

20 Oct. 59

Son born to SSgt. and Mrs. Edward E. Monroe.

21 Oct. 59

Son born to A-1C and Mrs. James L. Bailey.

Daughter born to A-1C and Mrs. Regis C. Laird

22 Oct. 59

Daughter born to SSgt. and Mrs. George Gillette.

24 Oct. 59

Daughter born to Capt and Mrs. William Demers.

Son born to Capt. and Mrs. Charles A. Lund.

25 Oct. 59

Daughter born to A-1C and Mrs. James Busick.

Son born to TSgt. and Mrs. Howard Brown.

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## FS Volunteers Are Applauded

On Wednesday, October 21, Family Services hosted a "We Applaud" Coffee to honor its volunteers whose hours in the program merited awards. Seventy attended and enjoyed coffee and cakes served from a gaily appointed table cleverly set with a Halloween decor.

Lt. Victor L. Lewis introduced the Family Services Coordinator, Hazel Rowland, and Assistant Coordinator, Nell Walker. Mrs. Rowland spoke to the group, mentioning the fact that each month from fifty to one-hundred families come to the Family Services Center for information or assistance.

Father Bouchard, guest speaker of the afternoon, made observations concerning 'the American Family'.

Col. Beahan, Director of Personnel, presented Year Stripe Awards to the following volunteers:

Fern Bell, Vivian Bellemore, Marie Bird, Adrah Brown, Mildred Bonneau, Fay Butler, Millie Crawford, Marge Clerici, Judy Consaul, Bette Curran, Mavis Davis, Eunice DeCesere, Weda Dooley, Dorothy Ellis, Rue Horner, Hazel Rowland, Vi Werlick, Lois Zethren, Helen Jay, Donna Klippel, Marge Livingston, Hancel Mills, Virginia Martel, Barbara Morey, Gina Nelson, Lorraine Reid.

Lt. Lewis awarded 500 and 1000 hour pins to:

Lois Zethren, 1,000 hours; Carolyn Schoppe, 1,000 hours; Hazel Rowland, 500 hours; Gina Nelson, 1,000 hours.

Hostesses for the afternoon's arrangements were:

Elaine Umstead, Sally Winter, Patty Smith, Eunice de Cesere, Mardi Hallett, Della Boyd, Marge Livingston, Peg Leckband.

## Westover Man Becomes Priest

WESTOVER AFB, Mass. (SAC PS)—MSgt. Harold L. Batchelor will be ordained in the Priesthood of the Episcopal Church here on Oct. 30 and will retire from the Air Force the following day. Founder and former commandant of the NCO Preparatory School here, Batchelor was born in England and served in the King's Royal Rifle Brigade in World War I.

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## Formal Ball Now Tradition

HQ. SAC (SAC PS) — What began as an NCO social function here is making a strong bid to become an NCO corps tradition.

A formal military ball held at Offutt AFB's NCO Club last year was so well received that another is scheduled for Dec. 27.

As planned, the ball will be open to all NCOs and their wives. Dress will be the blue uniform, white shirt and black bow tie. Co-hosts for the ball will be the base sergeant major, president of the NCO Academy Graduates Association, president of the NCO Open Mess Board of Governors and their wives. These three couples will also form the receiving line.

Guest of honor for the ball, which is being sponsored by the Graduates Association and the club's board of governors, will be Maj. Gen. William K. Martin, SAC director of personnel.

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1955 Plymouth Savoy 4-Door  
1955 Plymouth Belvedere Suburban 4-Door  
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# News And Social Happenings



## Teen Talk

By Dale Moses

**RETRACTION:** In last week's "Teen Talk" it states that the Jim Winters Record Hop would be presented between the hours of 7:00 and 11:00 p. m. This is wrong. The hop will begin at 8:00 and end at 11:30. Tickets are now on sale to this big event and they are obtainable at the popular price of 50 cents each from any member of the Teen Club.

The Youth Center will be borrowed for the occasion and the target date has been set for November 27, so don't wait until the last minute to buy, it might be too late.

Now for the benefit of those baffled members who have forgotten which committee they belong to, here is a list of the committees, their chairmen, and members.

### Calling

Nancy Horrocks (chairman), Kristine Zethren, Joan Clark, Dee Dee Thrower.

### Publicity

Dale Moses (chairman), Don McLemore, Sheril Schoppe, Kristine Zethren, Dee Dee Thrower.

### Social

Cooky Shaw (chairman), Miles Horner, Dale Moses.

### Entertainment

James Beaver (chairman), Missy Willy, Edith Shaw.

### Membership

Dale Moses (chairman), Barbara Wagner.

Next week: a behind-the-scenes check on "The Philadelphia Story" by Philip Barry.

## ADVICE TO THE WISE

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### IF YOUR CHILD SWALLOWS A POISON

#### DO

Dilute immediately with large quantities of water or milk. Keep calm. Call a physician.

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Pick the child up and rush him to a doctor or hospital. Delay in diluting the poison could be fatal.



## NCO Wives Club Notes

By MARIE CULLY

We extend a welcome to our new members; Gina Nelson, Dorothy Reay, Vellie Lord, Nora Rider, Jean Triano, Marcy Morgan, Lucille Wiserman and Grace Walker.

I'm told the "Come as you are Breakfast" was a riot, everything from Bermudas to the old man's bathrobe put in its appearance. The prizes went to Peg Cook, Della Boyd, and Eunice Decease. Emily Maxwell won the door-prize. Special guest of the Breakfast was Mrs. Wm. Crawford. Other guests were Jane Beals and Diane Swartz.

Sorry to have to shorten up the notes on our nominees, but space is limited. For Treasurer we have two girls. Colleen Zelenka and Connie Boucher. Both are fairly new members. Colleen joined just before the Fashion Show and proved her ability to take part in things by working on our hair and makeup her first day in the Club. Her husband is TSgt. Darrel Zelenka (Field Maintenance.) They came here from Nauvassur and Sidi Slimana-Casa Blanca, North Africa. Colleen is from England. Connie is from Waterville, Maine and she is the wife of TSgt. Emile Boucher (4060th C.S.G.); Connie jumped into things, also, at present she is the President of the Wives Club Bowling League.

For Alternate Treasurer, Mary Evans and Francis Reddick. Mary has been here about three years, and has been very active in the Club, and also at Family Services. She has been on various committees and served as first Member at large. She is the wife of MSgt. Vernie Q. Evans. (341st ARS). Their home is in California.

Francis is one of our new members, at present she is Treasurer for the Bowling League. She is the wife of MSgt. Robert Reddick (Headquarters Sqdn.) They came here from Ramey, Puerto Rico,

and they hail from Fort Worth, Texas.

Next on our list is 1st Member at Large. We have Emily Maxwell who is at present our 1st member. (also called Entertainment and Refreshment) She and her husband MSgt. Edward G. Maxwell (Supply Sqdn.) came here about a year ago from Ladd AFB, Alaska. Em is from Lynnfield, Mass. Janet Wetterberg is our other nominee for First—. She is at present, our alternate Treasurer and is on the Housing Committee at Family Services. She has worked on other various Committees as well. She is the wife of SSgt. C. Robert Wetterberg (4060th ARW) They have been here about a year and a half. Their home is Andover, Mass.

And last but far from least we have our final office and nominee. Alice Reynolds for Second Member at large. (Also known as Ways and Means Com.) May I please note here that Alice and Emily work together on these two Committees, they have done a tremendous job in the last six months. Alice also volunteers at Family Services. She is the wife of MSgt. Philip Reynolds. They came here a year ago from Yuma Arizona. Alice is from Lewiston, Maine.

## Undercover Stuff

This Friday being the eve of All Saints Day (Halloween to young and old alike), the Base Library will have Open House from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. We will have sweet cider and donuts on hand for the little ones.

This also gives us the opportunity to let Dow AFB personnel know that the library has had a Stereophonic Record Player installed for your entertainment. We have a listing of Stereophonic Records which we will play upon request. As interest grows with this program we hope to enlarge our record collection.

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## Officers Wives Club Notes

By JOAN M. BLAUM

The November 10th Luncheon will be hosted by the 71st A. R. S. Wives. Floy Dorgan is chairman of the event.

A reminder . . . the Newcomers Reception is November 7th. Make your nursery or sitter arrangements early.

The Bridge results for October 19th are as follows: Mrs. Lawson C. Horner was first, Mrs. W. B. Burstead was second and Mrs. Lewis Bernfeld was low. Mrs. Bernfeld also won the door prize.

Here are the ever-changing bowling results—

|                                        | Wins | Losses | Tot. Pts. |
|----------------------------------------|------|--------|-----------|
| Holy Rollers                           | 14   | 5      | 9879      |
| Dowettes                               | 14   | 9      | 9634      |
| Go's                                   | 13   | 10     | 9460      |
| High Single, Maggies Maggies—688;      |      |        |           |
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Individual three Games was Marg Knowles with 453!

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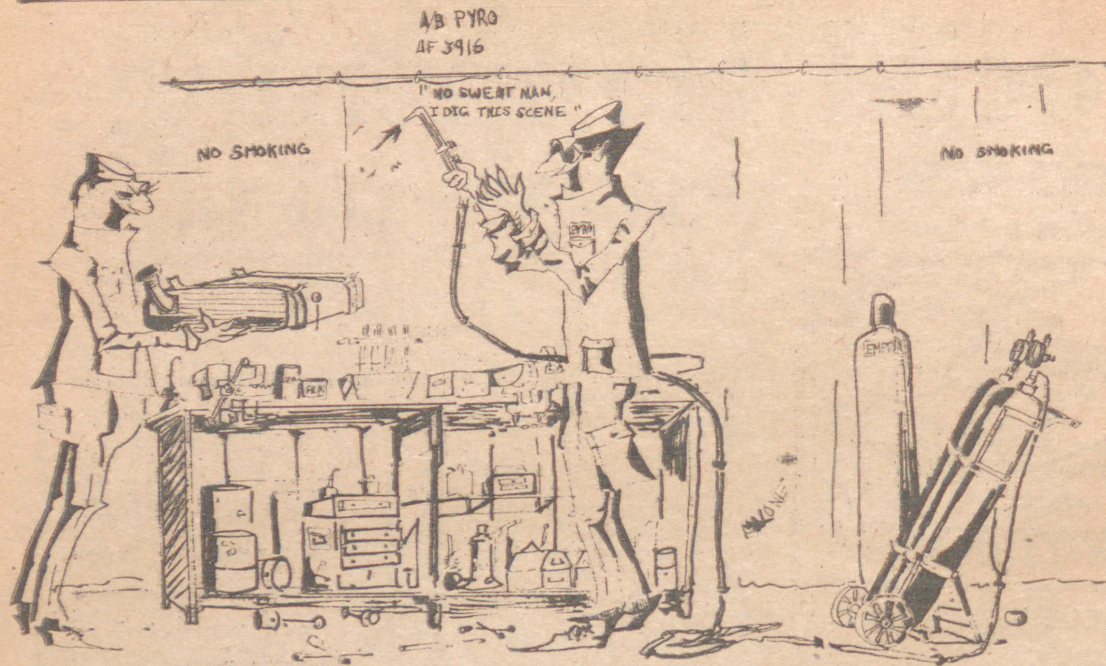
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## Ninth Atlas Site OK'd

OMAHA, Neb. (SAC PS) — Official go-ahead has been given for construction of the nation's ninth Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile squadron, near Schilling AFB, Kan.

Col. James S. Caples, AF regional engineer for the Missouri River Region, said launchers on nine separate locations will be grouped in a circular fashion around Salina, Kan. Construction will begin next spring.

Other SAC Atlas sites are Fairchild AFB, Wash.; F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo. (three squadrons); Forbes AFB, Kan.; Lincoln and Offutt AFBs, Neb.; and Vandenberg AFB, Calif.

## Postage Due Applications Delay Pa. Bonus Payments

(AFNS)—For speedy payment of the Pennsylvania Korean Bonus, eligibles are warned to make sure their applications and related documents are mailed with sufficient postage to ensure delivery.

An average of 800 applications a day are being returned because of insufficient postage, state officials report. A minimum of eight cents postage should be placed on the package, and possibly more, to insure delivery. Returned applications may mean a delay of up to three weeks before the papers can again begin the processing procedure.

Eligible to apply for bonus payments, which can amount to as much as \$500, are those who entered the Service from Pennsylvania and served at least 60 days between June 25, 1950, and July 27, 1953. They will receive \$10 a month for all service between the start of the conflict and Jan. 27, 1954, six months after hostilities ended.

Holders of the Korean Service Medal will receive an additional \$5 per month for foreign duty.

About 2,340 active duty Air Force members are believed eligible to cut a slice of the \$150 million pie. Officials estimate payment will be made within seven days after the application enters the mill.

Veterans and their beneficiaries can receive bonus forms from county directors of veterans affairs and all posts of veterans organizations in Pennsylvania, and from the American Red Cross worldwide. Forms and full details can also be obtained from: Korean Conflict Veterans Compensation Bureau, 2535 North Seventh Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

## BNARC Ended

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and 306th ARS MacDill AFB 338 points.

According to information available at press time, Dow's tanker crews will arrive here sometime Saturday morning with the support crews expected Saturday afternoon or evening.

A welcome home reception for the Dowmen who took part in the competition is being planned by base officials, according to Colonel Edelle M. Jones, Wing Deputy Commander for Operations.

Wives of the crew members and the support group will be on hand to welcome the team back to Dow. All other base personnel are invited to be on hand for this exciting event. The reception will be held in the 341st briefing room, located in the Tactical Squadron area, adjacent to the base warehouse. Refreshments will be served.

Further information on the exact arrival time of the crews and support personnel will be available on extension 2888 as soon as a definite ETA is established.

## Six SACmen \$4,500 Richer

HQ. SAC (SAC PS) — Six stateside SAC airmen will be \$4,500 richer in savings bonds when Operation "Safe-Wheels" ends in mid-January.

Purpose of "Safe-Wheels" is to reduce loss of life of SACmen in private motor vehicle accidents.

All stateside SAC airmen who do not have a reportable motor vehicle accident or moving traffic violation during the period of the contest—Nov. 15-Jan. 15—are eligible to compete.

In order for their names to go into the hopper at Second, Eighth or Fifteenth Air Force headquarters, airmen must sign a "Safe-Wheels" pledge stating they will protect the life, property and rights of others while driving.

The names of Offutt personnel will go into Second Air Force's hopper and those of 1st Missile Division personnel into Fifteenth Air Force's.

On conclusion of Operation "Safe-Wheels," drawings will be held at each of the three headquarters. The first names drawn will net a \$1,000 savings bond for the lucky airmen, and the second ones a \$500 bond.

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## The Fire Chief Speaks

The following is letter received by this base from Lt. Gen. Francis H. Griswold, Vice Commander in Chief, SAC:

During review of the fire loss summary for Fiscal Year 1959, released by Headquarters USAF, I noted that the number of SAC fire incidents exceeded the number reported by any other command by a ratio of more than two to one.

Fire causes are easy to identify by analysis of recorded statistics. Most fires start with conditions which may be recognized easily and therefore may be prevented by the simple process of correcting these conditions immediately. The reason for lack of aggressive fire prevention action is all too clear—disinterested and complacent personnel.

It remains for all of us to be conscious and vigilant in matters of fire safety, every day, 365 days a year. The President of the United States stated in part in his proclamation designating Fire Prevention Week, 4-10 October 1959: "... I also direct the appropriate agencies of the Federal Government to ... reduce the loss of life and property resulting from fire. ..."

Each Commander will exert every means at his disposal to safeguard Government property promptly and properly, reduce the fire incident rate and effect a reduction in fire loss.

FRANCIS H. GRISWOLD  
Lieutenant General, USAF  
Vice Commander in Chief

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## Wing Officers Sponsor Spook-Goblin Party

Officers of the 4060th Air Refueling Wing are sponsoring a Halloween Party to be held tomorrow evening at the Dow Officers' Club.

Admission is to be free and all members are urged to attend and bring their families and guests.

Prizes are to be awarded for the best couples costume, best male costume, best female costume and for the funniest costume.

Facilities of the club are available for dining from 6 pm on. Dancing will start at 9 pm.

Members, their families and guests who do not wish to attend in costume are welcome to attend in informal dress. All club members are urged to attend in order to make this party one of the gayest of the season. Come and have fun!

### AFB Cancelled

The Air Force has announced cancellation of construction of Richard I. Bong AFB, Wisc. It explained that the B-58 bomber mission planned for the base can be handled at other bases which will become available as the result of certain B-47 units being phased out.

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## Re-Up Rule Change

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of both losing and gaining commanders.

The Headquarters message states the airman who does not reenlist within the 24 hour period will be ineligible for enlistment for 91 days following his date of separation.

If he belatedly decides to return to the Service, it'll be only at a loss of grade, in most cases, and a loss of his reenlistment bonus.

The four-year enlistment term is applicable to Air Force servicemen. Servicewomen will be able to sign up for either three or four years. Shorter or longer terms will be granted in certain cases, such as aviation cadets (two years) and airmen nearing the retirement age.

The message says all airmen separated after Nov. 1 and before Jan. 31, 1960, will have to sign a statement that they are aware of and understand the new ruling. After that, officials feel the airmen will have had ample opportunity to learn about the ruling changes, and signed statements will not be required.

## Dow Rod-Gun Dinner Meeting Now Scheduled

The monthly meeting of the Dow Rod and Gun Club members is slated for Thursday, 5 November at 19:00 hrs at the Clubhouse, Bldg T-415.

Members and interested parties are welcome to join in the festivities. Dinner will be served free to all present. Members are encouraged to bring their wives.

Membership is reminded that a \$25 prize is offered for the heaviest deer killed with bow and arrow and \$50 for the heaviest deer killed with a rifle. The Base fire station will be the check point for weighing your catch. Weight of "field dressed carcass will be used for entries (liver and heart left in place).

Base personnel interested in renting rifles and shot guns are referred to Sgt. Hicks, Ext. 2632, for necessary arrangements. Cost is 50 cents daily—the supply is limited so call well in advance when planning to utilize this service.

## Commands Get Vacancy List For S-Sgt., A-1C Promotions

(AFNS) The latest Airman Promotion Vacancy List has gone out to the various commands and will be followed later this month by the Dec. 1 promotion quotas.

The vacancy listing is used, basically, to alert the major commands as to which fields are open so they can consider and select eligible airmen. When the actual quotas are released by Headquarters, promotions can then go through with a minimum of delay.

The vacancy list shows 51 career fields open for staff sergeant promotions and 54 for airman-first-class promotions.

Master and technical sergeant promotions will not be made on this Dec. 1 cycle. In the future, though, they will be made semi-annually during the June and December cycles.

For the upcoming promotion cycle, Hq USAF is advising the commands that they can waive time-in-service requirements for staff sergeant promotions. Thus, qualified airmen with less than four years service may be upped. A Headquarters official estimates that this will affect only from 50 to 100 airmen.

Six career fields, closed for a long time, are being re-opened for the December promotion cycle. They are 271-Air operations, 462-Weapons maintenance, 47150-Construction equipment repair, 47152-Special Vehicle Repair, 702-Administration, and 771-Air Police.

Commands are being cautioned, however, to take it easy and not over-promote. This would only serve to close up these career fields again.

Promotions to Airman First Class will be non-existent for 61 career fields and 31 specific AFSC's. Staff Sergeant posts in 59 career fields and 31 specific AFSC's are also included in the "promotion prohibited" area.

Four AFSC's are being red-flagged for priority promotions to staff sergeants even though command vacancies do not exist. They are 20130, 31350, 32430 and 34250.

The Dec. 1 promotion vacancy list follows:

| C/F | Subd | S | IC | C/F | Subd | S | IC |
|-----|------|---|----|-----|------|---|----|
| 001 |      |   |    | 561 |      |   |    |
| 002 |      |   |    | 562 |      |   |    |
| 201 |      |   |    | 563 |      |   |    |
| 202 |      |   |    | 564 |      |   |    |
| 203 |      |   |    | 565 |      |   |    |
| 204 |      |   |    | 566 |      |   |    |
| 206 |      |   |    | 567 |      |   |    |
| 221 |      |   |    | 568 |      |   |    |
| 222 |      |   |    | 571 |      |   |    |
| 223 |      |   |    | 581 |      |   |    |
| 231 |      |   |    | 582 |      |   |    |
| 232 |      |   |    | 591 |      |   |    |
| 233 |      |   |    | 601 |      |   |    |
| 252 |      |   |    | 602 |      |   |    |
| 253 |      |   |    | 603 |      |   |    |
| 271 |      |   |    | 604 |      |   |    |
| 272 |      |   |    | 621 |      |   |    |
| 273 |      |   |    | 622 |      |   |    |
| 291 |      |   |    | 623 |      |   |    |
| 292 |      |   |    | 624 |      |   |    |
| 293 |      |   |    | 641 |      |   |    |

|     |   |   |     |   |   |
|-----|---|---|-----|---|---|
| 301 | S | S | 642 |   |   |
| 302 | F | F | 643 |   |   |
| 303 | S | S | 644 | F | F |
| 304 |   |   | 645 |   |   |
| 305 |   |   | 651 |   |   |
| 306 | S | S | 671 |   |   |
| 311 | S | S | 673 |   |   |
| 312 | S | S | 681 |   |   |
| 313 | W |   | 683 |   |   |
| 314 |   |   | 685 |   |   |
|     |   |   | 687 |   |   |
| 315 |   |   | 701 |   |   |
| 321 | F | F | 702 | F | F |
| 322 | S | S | 704 |   |   |
| 323 | S | S | 705 |   |   |
| 324 | W |   | 711 | F | F |
| 331 |   |   | 712 | F | F |
| 341 | F | F | 713 | F | F |
| 342 | W |   | 721 | F | F |
| 343 | F | F | 731 | F | F |
| 344 | F | F | 732 | F | F |
| 361 | F | F | 733 |   |   |
| 362 | F | F | 734 | F | F |
| 363 |   |   | 741 | F | F |
| 401 | F | F | 751 | F | F |
| 402 |   |   | 753 | F | F |
| 421 | F | F | 761 |   |   |
| 422 | F | F | 771 | F | F |
| 423 | S | S | 821 | F | F |
| 431 | S | S | 901 |   |   |
| 432 | F | F | 902 | F | F |
| 433 | F | F | 903 | F | F |
| 451 |   |   | 904 |   |   |
| 461 | F | F | 905 |   |   |
| 462 | F | F | 906 | F | F |
| 463 |   |   | 907 |   |   |
| 471 | S | F | 908 |   |   |
| 531 | F | F | 909 | F | F |
| 532 | F | F | 921 | F | F |
| 533 | F | F | 922 | F | F |
| 534 | F | F | 981 |   |   |
| 551 | F | F | 982 | S | S |
| 552 | F | F | 991 |   |   |

### EXPLANATION:

F—Promotion to grades marked "F" is prohibited.

W—Priority in promotion consideration. Command vacancy waived.

S—Promotion prohibited to indicated grades and Air Force Specialty Codes.

SSgt: 20330A/B/C, 25250, 29150, 30150, 30153A/B, 30351, 30353A/B, 30453, 30650A, 31150H/E/Q, 31250B/H, 32250B, 32251D/E, 32350C/E, 42352, 42353, 43150, 43151A/D/E, 43152, 43155, 43174, 47151, 98250B.

A/1C: 20330A/B/C, 25230/50, 30153A/B, 30351, 30352, 30353A/B, 30650A, 31150H/E/Q, 31250B/H/J, 32250B, 32251D/E, 32350C/E, 42352, 43151A/D/E, 43152, 43155, 43174, 98250B.

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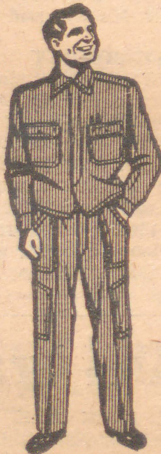
## B-52 Salutes Bolivian AF

TURNER AFB, Ga. (SAC PS)

—A B-52 Stratofortress recently saluted the autonomous Bolivian Air Force in a flight from this SAC base which carried it over La Paz, Bolivia, at an altitude of 15,000 feet. It was the first time a B-52 jet bomber had flown over that South American country.

The highest fly-by on record was made to give spectators a close look at the Boeing Stratofortress. Even though at an altitude of 15,000 feet above sea level, the fly-by was less than 1600 feet above the lofty La Paz airport.

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## Sunday—"Nun's Story"

### FRIDAY

"CAREER" Starring Dean Martin, Anthony Franciosa, Shirley McLaine and Carolyn Jones.

### SATURDAY MATINEE

"GUNSIGHT RIDGE" starring Joel McCrea and Mark Stevens also Chapter No. 11 of the serial Hop Harrigan and a color cartoon. Show starts at 2 p.m.

### SATURDAY EVENING

"ONIONHEAD" Starring Andy Griffith, Walter Matthau and Felicia Carr.

### SUNDAY-MONDAY

"THE NUN'S STORY" starring Audrey Hepburn and Peter Finch. The film dramatization of the famous book stars Audrey Hepburn in the role of Sister Luke, the Belgian girl who became a nursing nun in the Congo, and whose adventures—both physical and in her tortured conscience aroused world-wide interest. Color, Drama, Family.

### TUESDAY

"LOOK BACK IN ANGER" Starring Richard Burton and Claire Bloom. The film is based on the extraordinary hit play and tells of three people caught up in their own passion and uneasy love. Richard Burton portrays an "angry young man" with a mixture of sincerity and cheerful malice. He is restless, full of pride and given to blistering remarks which make him few friends. Mature. Drama.

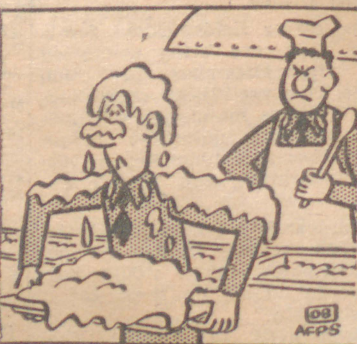
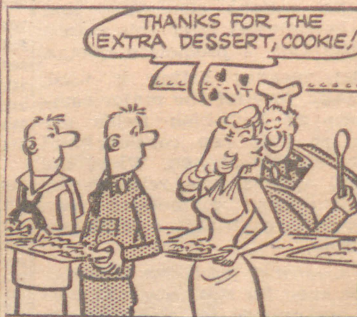
### WEDNESDAY

"TIN STAR" Starring Henry Fonda, Anthony Perkins and Betsy Palmer. An embittered ex-sheriff who turned bounty-hunter finds he still has an obligation to the man who wears the badge of the lawman. Family. Western.

### THURSDAY

"DARBY O'GILL AND THE LITTLE PEOPLE" Starring Albert Sharpe and Janet Munro.

## Operation Blonde



## Officer Promotions

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grade authorizations, about 60 per cent of the Reserve captains would be obliged to continue in their grade past the 14 year mark.

Under the new system, the probable result will be the eventual promotion or release from duty of all these captains. In other words, promotions for 6,000, release for 1,400. A passover rate of about 20 per cent would provide the attrition tool to release the 1,400 who are turned down twice for advancement.

Although they have not been officially confirmed and the myriad details are still being firmed up, the basic criteria for promotion to temporary major and lieutenant colonel will be based on Active Federal Commissioned Service for Reserves, Promotion list Service for Regulars, 13 years for major, 18 for lieutenant colonel; a hefty pass over rate plus a percentage of "below-the-zone" promotion quotas.

While official announcement of the new criteria has not been made, major command Personnel Officers who will handle the mechanics were scheduled to attend a briefing in the Pentagon on October 27. It is expected that board dates, both at major command and Headquarters level will have to be slipped. Temporary Majors Board was originally scheduled to meet in the Pentagon on 14 December. Now, this board, as well as the Lieutenant Colonels' Board, will not meet until well after the first of the year. Commands have already been advised to suspend preliminary board action and to alter new command of assignment cut off dates for both grades to October 31.

Meanwhile, the names of 5,247 lieutenants (plus 100 "alternates") selected for promotion to temporary captain were being prepared for forwarding to the White House for confirmation. Names will not be released until about mid-December. The "alternates" will replace any of those chosen on the principal list who leave the service for one reason or another prior to the effective promotion date.

Got a hot news tip? Call Tanker Times, ext 2801.

## Service

## Club

## Lowdown

SSGT. ART RAMALHO



The scope of a service club activities program must be broad and flexible if it is to make its maximum contribution to the overall morale building program of the Air Force. It is now a well recognized fact that the way an airman spends his off-duty time has a direct bearing on his attitude toward the service and, more important, on his efficiency on the job. Carefully conducted studies show that a well planned and well balanced recreation program, one that appeals equally to the interest and likes of all airmen, emphasizing no special interest, is invaluable in developing esprit de corps and the high morale so necessary to the accomplishment of the mission of the Air Force.

A service club activities pro-

gram doesn't just happen. In planning a successful program the club director must first of all make a careful estimate of the situation, so that she knows and understands everything possible about her job, the people with whom she works, the facilities and equipment she uses, and the relationship of her activities to the base commander's overall program. She must fit the program to the need, use all of the facilities available in programming and maintain liaison with the civilian community. Too, the club director has a comprehensive understanding of recreation and the general welfare program of the Air Force.

As this is accomplished (and the process must be continuous, subject to revision and change), the director establishes some well defined goals or objectives for the club program. The success of a recreation program and the efficiency of the club director are measured in terms of overall results.

Your service club schedule is based upon your varied interests. The club director has selected such bands as Sammy Saliba, Nat Diamond, Lou Pearson, Steve Gould, and Paul Dinsmore for your dancing pleasure every Wednesday evening at 8:00 p.m. Through the good work and the efficiency of the club director and staff, all Junior Hostesses are obtained for such functions. Also such activities as the Bridge Instruction, Dance instruction, and Accordion Instruction, etc., are planned and organized by a hard working core of recreation specialists.

Through the efforts of the club director and her assistants, comes the following varied schedule:

30, Oct. 59  
6:00-10:00 p.m. Hobby Shop, Photo Lab.  
7:30 Pinochle Tournament  
31, Oct. 59 1:30 Pool Tournament  
1, Nov. 59  
9:00 a.m. Coffee Call  
1:00-5:00 p.m. Hobby Shop  
1:00-6:00 p.m. Jam Session  
5:00 Chess and Cribbage  
6:30 Bridge Instruction  
2, Nov. 59  
8:00 Participation Games, cards 3 for 50 cents  
3, Nov. 59  
1:00-4:00 p.m. Ladies Ceramics  
6:00 Accordion Instruction; Copper Enameling Class; Photo Lab; Hobby Shop  
8:30 Dance Instruction  
4, Nov. 59  
8:00 Dance with Nat Diamond's Band  
5, Nov. 59  
3:30-5:30 p.m. Children's Creative Ceramics  
6:00-10:00 p.m. Hobby Shop open.

## Basketball Schedule

By S/Sgt Wright  
Intramural Basketball Schedule for first week of season

Blue League  
1. 75th FIS  
2. OMS  
3. CSG  
4. HQ WQ  
5. AIO  
6. 341st  
7. 71st  
8. Supply  
9. Charleston

Nov. 2 Nov. 3 Nov. 4 Nov. 5  
1-3 F 2-7 S 4-5 S 9-7 F  
3-6 T

Old Gymnasium  
Nov. 2 Nov. 3 Nov. 4 Nov. 5  
1-3 F 2-7 S 4-5 F 1-6 S  
3-6 T 8-2 T

Gold League  
1. OP'S  
2. Hospital  
3. CDS  
4. Trans  
5. ACSS  
6. Food Sys  
7. FMS  
8. AACSS & WEA

Nov. 2 Nov. 3 Nov. 4 Nov. 5  
1-3 S 3-6 F 4-5 F 1-6 S  
2-7 T

Old Gymnasium  
Nov. 2 Nov. 3 Nov. 4 Nov. 5  
1-3 S 3-6 F 4-5 F 1-6 S  
2-7 T

First game 17:45—F—is for first game  
Second game 19:15—S—is for second game  
Third game 20:45—T—is for third game

The 1959 Intramural Basketball season will start 2 Nov 59, both gyms will be used. The schedule of the first week is above, and the managers can pick up their complete schedule at the New Base Gym directly behind the Barracks Friday afternoon.

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## Arts And Crafts Center

By A-2C JACK ADE

The Service Club Arts & Crafts Center will sponsor a special ART EXHIBIT and OPEN HOUSE during NATIONAL ART WEEK, November 1st through the 7th. The Art Exhibit and Open House will be held Tuesday through Friday evenings from 6:00 until 9:30. Refreshments will be served. All military, dependents and friends from the surrounding communities are welcome to attend.

Military and Dependent artists of Dow Air Force Base have been invited to exhibit their work in the show and the shop patrons will exhibit their arts and crafts

and hobbies. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Now is your opportunity to visit your Service Club Arts & Crafts Center, meet the staff, Mrs. Viola Heal and A-2C Jack M. Ade, and discover the many areas in arts and crafts offered by the shop.

Interest in the Art Exhibit is growing and at the present time the staff is receiving some fine examples of painting ceramics, sculpture, mosaics, puppets, and hooked rugs. More work is being received every day. The exhibit should prove to be a tremendous success.

## Wood Hobby Shop News

By A2c B. SHERRIN

A2c John Conrad completed a coffee table, it has swivel legs which are made of pine. The rest of the table is made of birch veneer.

A2c Joe Alex of Trans. Sq. is working on a 14 foot boat of which he hopes to have completed in two weeks. He has already started to put his marine plywood siding on.

SSgt. McKennan of CAG made 12 picture frames in his spare time for the Squadron.

A3c Broe of ASSC is working in his spare time making picture

frames and planters for his squadron.

A2c Bob Straub of AACSS Det. is remodeling an old shipping crate to use as a storage box.

SSgt. Crump and A1c Whiteford from the Base Police are making picture frames for the Guard House.

1st Lt. Don Bishop is making a small cabinet for his home. It is made of marine plywood.

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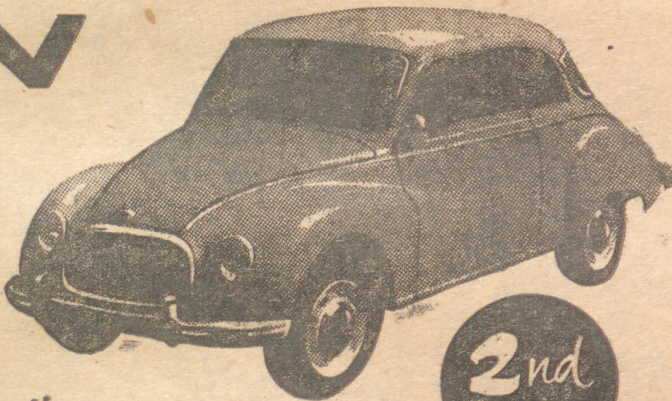
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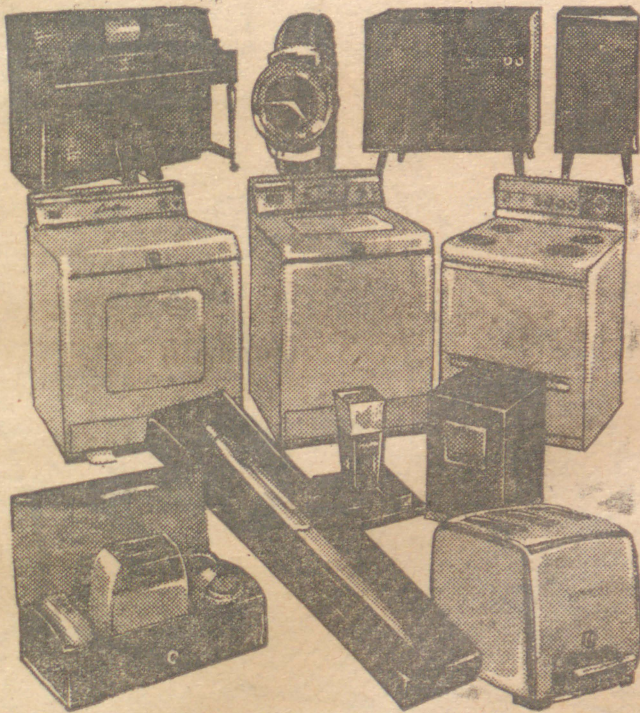
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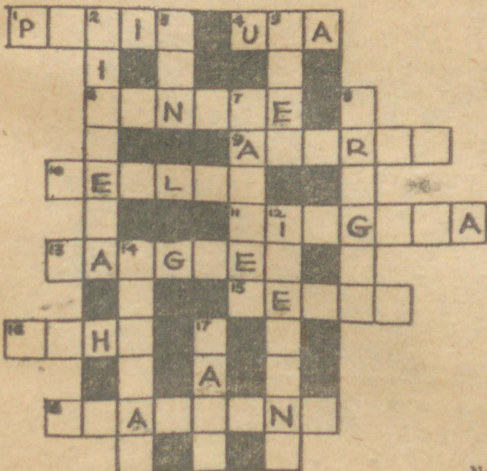
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terranean and Red Seas.
4. French city; scene of Film Festi-  
vals.
5. Capital of Czechoslovakia.
6. "Emerald Isle."
7. Scandinavian nation.
8. Island in the Republic of Indo-  
nesia.

#### CLUES ACROSS

1. "City of Lights."
2. You'll see the — in your  
DKW!
3. 1,600 canals traverse this city.
4. Portuguese Islands; Columbus  
was an early tourist.
5. The city of East and West sec-  
tors.
6. North America's most famous  
falls.
7. Major North African seaport.
8. Rome is often called "The City  
of — Hills."
9. Industrial region in Germany.
10. Southeast Asian nation.

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